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Atty. Docket No. INT21246

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

CONTINUED PROSECUTION APPLICATION (CPA)  
REQUEST TRANSMITTAL  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.53(d)

## Prior Application:

Inventor: Edgar C. ROBINSON  
Examiner: D. LEE  
Art Unit: 3743  
Express Mail Label No.: EK738616238USEXPRESS MAIL POST OFFICE TO ADDRESSEEATTENTION: BOX CPA (CONTINUATION PROSECUTION APPLICATION)Honorable Assistant Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Box CPA  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is a request for filing a:

  x   Continuation  
       Divisionalapplication under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(d), (continued prosecution application (CPA)) of prior application serial no. 08/851,465 filed on May 5, 1997, entitled MULTI-FUEL INFRARED BURNER WITH ADJUSTABLE METERING VALVE.       1. Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on                      under 37 CFR 1.116 in the prior nonprovisional application.  X   2. A preliminary amendment will be filed shortly.

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(a) \_\_\_\_\_ DELETE the following inventor(s) named in the prior nonprovisional application:

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(b) \_\_\_\_\_ the inventor(s) to be deleted are set forth on a separate sheet attached hereto.

4. \_\_\_\_\_ A new power of attorney or authorization of agent (PTO/SB/81) is enclosed.

5. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) is enclosed:

(a) \_\_\_\_\_ PTO-1449

(b) \_\_\_\_\_ Copies of IDS Citations

The filing fee is calculated on the basis of the claims existing in the prior application as amended at 1 above:

Total claims [ 8 ]\*

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Total independent claims [ 1 ]\*\*

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Multiple dependent claim 0\*\*\*

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- a. \_\_\_\_\_ A small entity statement is enclosed, if (b) and (c) do not apply.
- b.   X   A small entity statement was filed in the prior nonprovisional application and such status is still proper and desired.
- c. \_\_\_\_\_ is no longer claimed.

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8. ~~X~~ A cheque in the amount of \$445.- is enclosed which consists of the required fee for a three (3) month extension of time.

9. \_\_\_\_\_ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Respectfully submitted,

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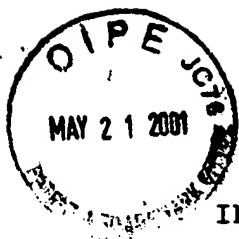
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Edgar C. ROBINSON : INTERNATIONAL THERMAL  
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I, the undersigned, hereby certify that the enclosed CPA patent application together with cheques for US\$445.00 and US\$355.00 and acknowledgement postcard are enclosed for filing against the above-identified application are being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 CFR 1.10 on the date indicated below, and is addressed to the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, United States Patent and Trademark Office, Washington, D.C. 20231.

Respectfully submitted,

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